

Sedalia Evening Democrat.

NEW SERIES.

TWO LYNCHED.

A TERRIBLE CRIME SWIFTLY PUNISHED

GUILTY FIENDS HANGED.

South Carolina Husbands and Brothers Make Short Work of Two Negro Rapists.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 31.—A double lynching took place at Gaston yesterday. The victims upon whom swift punishment was inflicted were two negroes who committed a fiendish assault upon a Mrs. Sightler of that place.

Yesterday one of the fiends, a young negro named Thompson, was arrested and upon being taken in custody he made a full confession, acknowledging that he and two other negroes named Preston and Kaigler committed the crime.

The crowd was terribly enraged and it was proposed to burn him. He begged so pitifully, however, that the cooler members of the mob interfered, and he was taken to a small tree near by and hanged, not, however, until the husband of the wronged woman had laid fifty lashes upon his bare back with a buggy whip, every one of which brought the blood. After the body had hanged two minutes, over a hundred bullets were fired into it.

The crowd then went to search for Preston and to get Kaigler out of Lexington jail. At 11 o'clock Tom Preston was captured seven miles from Gaston and was at once taken to the scene of the early morning's tragedy. Here all the horrors of the Thompson lynching were re-enacted. Preston was stripped and pinioned to the same pile of cross-ties which had served as a scaffold for Thompson. Arch Sightler with the same heavy buggy trace beat the unfortunate wretch until his strength was exhausted. The whipping was continued by others of the mob until the negro's body was a mass of scalded, bleeding flesh. At 1 o'clock, after Preston had regained consciousness, he was swung up to the same limb to which Thompson had been hanged four hours before, and his body literally riddled with bullets. Preston protested his innocence to the last.

LAID TO REST.

The Burial of Miss Bessie Brickle This Forenoon.
The funeral of Miss Bessie Brickle, whose not unexpected death was chronicled in the SUNDAY MORNING DEMOCRAT, took place from Sacred Heart Catholic church at 9 o'clock this forenoon, the requiem high mass and burial service being conducted by Rev. Father B. Dickman.

The edifice was filled with sorrowing relatives and friends, and the many beautiful floral tributes bestowed attested in a slight degree the high regard in which the deceased was held.

The remarks of Father Dickman were touchingly beautiful, and many were the eyes that were dimmed with tears as the reverend father set forth the amiable qualities of the beloved dead, and it was realized that never again would she be the center of an admiring circle of friends this side of the grave.

The services concluded, the remains were borne to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place. The following young men acted as pall bearers: Frost Waddell, Frank Kennedy, Fred Farnham, Bob Fitzpatrick, Martin Ingram and Charlie Ingram.

Leaves for Indiana.

John McGinley, ex-county collector, will leave to-night for a visit of two or three weeks at Terre Haute and Indianapolis, and will probably witness one or two ball games while absent.

A SAD CASE.

A Stranger Who Attended Sacred Heart Church Yesterday.

A stranger whose appearance was something out of the ordinary attended early mass at Sacred Heart church yesterday. His striking manner caused a member of the congregation to inquire his name and place of residence, when he answered:

"I left here five years ago with \$4500 and have been in Kansas

ever since. I lost my wife there and also every dollar I had in the world. I have now returned with my five children and a team, the only way I have of making a living. My children and myself are suffering for the actual necessities of life, but I am too proud to beg and I cannot steal."

A piece of money was handed to the stranger, but he declined it. He was furnished with food for himself and children, however, and to-day he was given employment with his team, after having camped near the depot last night.

The case is a sad one, and the name of the unfortunate gentleman is omitted at the request of those who assisted him.

Lost Her Purse.

Mrs. Anna T. Kelly, who arrived home this morning from North Bend, Ind., left her purse and contents—several dollars—on the southbound M. K. & T. train and is considerably worried in consequence. Telegrams were sent with a view to recovering the money, but with no satisfactory result up to noon.

A TEACHER KILLED.

CHAS. MILLER MET DEATH THIS MORNING.

WAS STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

An Inquest Will Be Held at Farnham's Undertaking Rooms at 4 o'clock p.m.

Charles Miller, a well known colored school teacher, who has resided at Georgetown for many years past, single and aged about thirty years, was found dead by the side of the Lexington branch road, a little more than a mile from the depot, a few minutes before 10 o'clock this forenoon.

The body was discovered by Thomas Henderson, also colored, who came to town and reported the matter. Coroner Meuhl was notified and at once repaired to the spot and viewed the body, as did a large number of spectators, after which it was removed to Farnham's undertaking rooms, where an inquest will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

It is pretty generally conceded that Miller was struck and killed by outgoing Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 93, that left here at 5 o'clock this morning, in charge of Conductor Billy Wheeler and Engineer Ed Adams. It is possible, though, that he was hit by the incoming train that arrived at 10:30 o'clock last night. Superintendent Hopkins says from the information he now has it is impossible to say whether the man was killed by an east or west bound train.

The deceased visited the city yesterday and was drinking considerably, as was his custom nearly every time that he came to town. He was seen here after the departure of the branch passenger train yesterday afternoon, and the supposition is that he started to walk home at an early hour this morning, but becoming stupid from the effects of the liquor that he had drunk, he sat down on the end of a tie and was struck and killed. He was hit in the back of the head, and the supposition is that he died almost instantly. His hat was picked up 100 feet from where the body was found, and nothing of value was found on his person.

Miller was well known in Sedalia. He was one of the smartest representatives of his race, but his love of liquor was something that he could not overcome, and as a result he was frequently arraigned in the police court. He has worked for a number of persons in the county in the past ten years, and all speak well of him except in the matter of dissipation.

The time for the funeral has not been arranged, but it is understood that the interment will take place at Georgetown to-morrow.

Seven Sinners.

In the police court, this morning, Emma Davis, a white bawd, was fined \$7 for drunkenness. Four other prisoners were fined for trespass, one for late hours and one for vagrancy, and all were given a stay to leave town.

The Queen of Corsets American Lady. Every pair guaranteed. Mareen will soon have them on sale.

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A CLEVER ENDORSEMENT.

It is From a Military Gentleman Who is Competent Authority.

Major Henry A. Peed, of the Sweet Springs Herald, is in town today and exhibited to a DEMOCRAT reporter a letter that is prized very highly by the faculty of Marmaduke Military academy. It was written by Arthur L. Bresley, brigadier general of the corps of the guards of the Republic of Venezuela, and from it the following extract is taken:

"Permit me, as a foreign military man, to felicitate you on the good taste and appearance of your catalogue.

"I have catalogues of all military schools, old and new ones, and I am glad to see that your school, though new, is so enterprising as to issue such a book.

"I expect to visit the Chicago exposition and if you permit will visit your school this fall.

"Kindly send me a few more of your catalogues, as I may be able to show them here for your good."

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Pension Board Sworn In.

Drs. W. C. Overstreet, W. J. Ferguson and W. H. Evans, the new board of pension examiners, received their commissions to-day and were sworn in by County Clerk Thomas F. Mitchum.

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A CULINARY PROBLEM.

By MARY CHAHOON.

WE were busy one day in the kitchen, I deep in some cook-book lore, And he perched up on the table Driving a "coach-and-four."

But when I had finished this sentence In a receipt I had found— "Set on the stove and stir constantly." The driver looked around.

And leaving his play for a minute, He whispered in my ear— "How could any one 'set on the stove' And not 'stir constantly,' dear?"

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FROM now until hard winter sets in there should be no let up in street improvement.

FRANCE accepts the concessions made by Siam. She would have been a hog if she hadn't.

THE democratic platform calls for the financial reform this country needs. Stick to it.

THE loyal citizen stands by the institutions of his town, and seeks rather to build up than tear down.

THIS corn weather will smash the financial stringency. Corn will be king and the goldbug panic maker will not be in it.

IN spite of hard times and monetary stringency the DEMOCRAT has grown in circulation and business constantly and steadily.

CUT the weeds and get rid of them. They are unsightly, slovenly, and to permit them to grow and go to decay is injurious to public health.

MR. CLEVELAND will not permit his gold-bug friends to stir up dust enough to obscure the tariff plank of the platform on which he was elected.

THE business men who advertise in the DEMOCRAT constantly and judiciously are certain to receive their full share of the business that is going on.

SEDLIA did the handsome thing and the right thing when she provided food for the hungry Colorado miners who passed through the city seeking work.

COLLECTIONS may be a little slow to-morrow, but when the Sedalia man looks around and compares the business situation here with that in other towns in this section, he should be ashamed to complain.

BEFORE we democrats secure any real substantial pension reform we must choke off some of our own prominent men who are able to draw princely salaries and at the same time have places on the pension rolls.

SECRETARY HOKE SMITH was hanged in effigy by the people of Portsmouth, Ohio, because the pension of an old man named Reed was revoked. As long as the hanging is only in effigy Hoke will not be seriously disturbed.

THE immense crowd which turned out to hear Gen. Weaver at Marshall and the hearty endorsement they gave his eulogy upon Bland, shows that the masses of the democratic party in this state stand just where they did before the late election in demanding free coinage of silver. No public man in Missouri is strong enough to lead the democrats away from the principles they have advocated for so many years.

CREDIT ASSASSINS.
The *Globe-Democrat* of a late date contains an editorial rebuking the credit assassins of Wall street who, through jealousy or desire for gain, have circulated false stories regarding the solvency of business firms. The *G.-D.* says:

"The action of the president of the New York exchange in warning members of that institution against circulating slanderous reports against other members or against the listed securities was timely, and probably will have a good effect. False reports attacking the

credit of well-known business men and undermining the stability of prominent banks and stocks have been circulated on the exchange within the past few weeks with a freedom and an audacity almost without example. The object, which was to cause a break in stock prices, was, by these devices, often accomplished recently, and untold damage was done to business by destroying the public confidence, fostering distrust and creating the impression that a financial convulsion was at hand.

It is safe to say that the lying reports manufactured by a certain set of New York speculators are responsible for at least half the decline which has taken place in stocks since the collapse of the Cordage Trust about two months ago. This mendacity and malignity has cut down stock values to the extent of several hundreds of millions of dollars, has reduced thousands from competency to want, and has led to untold suffering and misery. Timid holders of stocks have been frightened into throwing them on the market at a heavy loss, and the damage and demoralization thus caused have aroused fears of worse things to come and have incited runs on banks and a sharp curtailment of the amount of money in trade channels. By the regulations of the exchange the governing committee, by a two-thirds vote, has the power to suspend or expel offending members, and this body has taken measures to employ this authority promptly and vigorously.

Attacks on the credit and reputation of business men and institutions in times like these constitute offenses of a peculiarly insidious and heinous character. Credit is a far more powerful lever in business than cash. Ninety-five per cent. of all the trade is transacted by means of checks, drafts and bills of exchange—that is, through credit in its various instrumentalities—and only 5 per cent in actual money. The men or cliques who wantonly assail business reputations are assassins of a particularly cowardly and dangerous variety, and ought to be dealt with rigorously by the law. Persons, who, in times like these, for the sake of personal gain, assault the credit of the community which is involved in the reputation of its business men and monetary institutions, and thus do their utmost to bring about financial ruin to the country, are deadly enemies of society whom society ought to extirpate by all the resources at its command."

The above is a timely and well merited rebuke to the credit assassins of Wall street, and it may be read with profit by certain Sedalians who have let their distorted ideas of their own personal interests lead them into making assertions and charges which to the stranger reflect upon the standing of Sedalia firms and value of Pettis county securities.

These men do not probably fully realize that they have become credit assassins and that the character of their fight against certain institutions is an attack upon farm mortgages, the best security western people have to offer, and that in making such attack they become enemies to the business of the community in which they live.

Kind Words for Sedalia.

The "tourists" who passed through Sedalia last Saturday arrived in St. Louis yesterday morning and were fed by the city authorities. From a column article in the *Republic* of this morning the following paragraph is taken:

"From Kansas City here the crowd came over the Missouri Pacific, stopping at Sedalia to appease the hunger that had gone unsatisfied at Kansas City. The tourists all declare that Sedalia people did their utmost for their comfort, but not one of them had a kind word for Kansas City."

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CUT OFF HIS LIMB.**THOMAS COLLINS LOSES HIS RIGHT LEG.****The Unfortunate Man Who Jumped From a Pacific Train Last Saturday Night.**

Thomas Collins, colored, the unfortunate negro who jumped from Missouri Pacific train No. 4 at the Grand avenue crossing Saturday night and sustained a fracture of the right leg and dislocation of the left shoulder, is being cared for at the home of a colored family near the depot.

The case was even worse than reported in the *SUNDAY MORNING DEMOCRAT*. When Dr. W. J. Ferguson reached the unfortunate man he was lying out in the open, with the rain pouring down upon him, and he remained there fully half an hour before the carriage arrived, becoming wet to the very skin in the meantime.

On arrival in the city proper it was found that the right leg from the knee down was frightfully crushed, the splintered bones protruding through the flesh, and the patient suffered the greatest possible agony.

Dr. Ferguson and Dr. Sid Conkwright amputated the injured member above the knee, and also reduced the fracture of the shoulder, and the patient is now doing as well as could be expected.

Collins denies that he paid the train porter for the privilege of riding, as stated by one of the city papers. He was beating his way, and on reaching Grand avenue he was discovered by the porter, who informed him that he had better jump off, as he was certain to be arrested if he rode to the depot. He jumped as advised, when the right knee came in contact with the wooden sidewalk, and the injuries narrated above were sustained. Collins lives in St. Louis and will be sent there as soon as he is able to travel.

REMARKABLE BLIND MEN.**Jefferson City Has One Who is Indeed a Wonder.**

George Stone, who is stone blind, walks up and down the streets without difficulty, and it is a common thing for him to walk from his home, about five miles from town, to town and return. He does it without fear or difficulty, although he is perfectly blind.—*Cape Girardeau Era*.

Jefferson City can boast of a blind man who is far ahead of the Cape Girardeau unfortunate, says the *Tribune*. Henry Dillard, a negro resident of this city, who lost his eye-sight by the premature discharge of a blast while he was an inmate of the penitentiary, many years ago, is a wonder to all who know him. He can go to any part of the city without assistance and makes an independent living by sawing and splitting wood and fishing. He not only can set out a trotline in the Missouri river, but baits and attends to it every day by himself. This is hazardous work for many who have two good eyes, but Henry has never met with a mishap. He can take a skiff and cross the river to the Callaway side at any time, and, returning, land where he desires. He never gets lost and never needs any assistance. In addition to such remarkable acquirements for a blind man, Henry has also had considerable experience in the matrimonial market, and has led more than one bride to the altar.

Postoffice Supply.

Stanley Coal Co. having secured the contract to furnish the Sedalia postoffice with hard coal, amounting to seventy tons, can supply the trade at less than any dealer in Sedalia. Now is the time to place your orders with them for hard or soft coal for the winter's use. Don't fail to call on them. Telephone 26.

Minus Both Legs.

John Edwards, colored, from Bonham, Texas, where he has three children dependent upon him for support, arrived in the city yesterday and is to-day engaged in selling pins, needles, pencils, etc., upon the street corners. Both legs were amputated at the hips ten years ago, the result of white swelling, and the man certainly appears to be worthy of patronage.

For Sale.

On account of leaving Sedalia will dispose of all our household goods and furniture in the Cassidy flats, over Hail & Co.'s store, on Ohio street, by private sale. A bargain to a family wishing to move into convenient rooms already furnished. Call at once.

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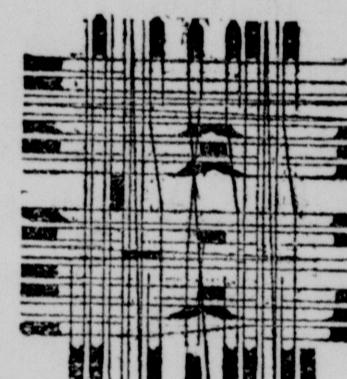
A Grand Chorus of 100 Voices.

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Passed July 20th, 1893, and approved
July 20th, 1893.

All bids shall be based on the specifications and conform to the provisions and requirements of said ordinance, and the plans, specifications and profiles of said sewer now on file in the office of the city engineer of said city.

All bids shall be sealed and filed in the office of the city clerk not later than 5 o'clock p. m. of Monday, August 7th, 1893. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

M. R. ANDERSON,
R. F. DEAN,
E. L. LOONEY,
Committee on sewers.

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Albert H. King, 810 Harrison St., Kansas City, Mo., paid June 20, 1893.

J. H. Boatright, Denison, Texas, paid July 3, 1893.



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10 pieces Unbleached Crash toweling, This week, 4 1/2c.	9-4 Bleach Sheet, 20c.
10 pieces Bleached Crash toweling, This week, 5c.	Good Soft Finished Bleached Muslin, 5c.
Bath Towels, worth 20c, This week, 12 1/2c.	Dress Gingham, new, 7 1/2c.
Indigo Blue Calico, worth 7 1/2c, This week, 5c.	Challis, new, 3 1/2c.
70 inch Unbleached Table Linen new patterns just received, worth 75c, This week, 50c.	Lawns, new, 3 1/2c.
72 inch Fine Bleached Table Linen just received, worth \$1.25, This week, 95c.	Skirt Linings, 5c.
Ladies' Night Gowns, excellent muslin, Hamburg trimmings, worth 75c, This week, 50c.	Spool Silk, 7c.
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	Best Brass Pins, full count, 5c.
	Best Calico, 5c.
	Excellent yard wide bleached muslin, 7 1/2c.

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SUNDAY'S ASCENSION.

Miss Squires Up in a Balloon at Association Park.

Miss Madeline Squires gave her advertised balloon ascension at Association park at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the presence of 200 or 300 people, the threatening appearance of the clouds no doubt having kept many other hundreds away.

The balloon was anchored within the half-mile track enclosure, and when all was in readiness Miss Squires kissed her aunt, Mrs. Johnson, good-bye and called out, "Let everything go!"

The balloon rose slowly to a height of less than 200 feet, Miss Squires being suspended in her parachute in the meantime, and then alighted on the kite-shaped track, only a few hundred feet distant from the starting point.

Relieved of the aeronaut's weight, however, the air ship rose again, and this time it alighted in J. R. Barrett's field.

Constancy.

The constant drop of water wears away the hardest stone, The constant gnaw of Tower Masticates the toughest bone, The constant cooing lover Carries off the blushing maid, And the constant smoker Smokes the "Boquet" cigars, Purest of all ten cent cigars that Chas. Schmidt manufactures.

You Can't Down Him.

He is still on top. Who? Why H. B. Wieman, who still sells the best Dover coal for the least money. Get August prices. Telephone 125.

A Legitimate Kick.

There is a large-sized kick among many respectable people about the lewd women of the city who occupy rooms in the business part of the city. They regard such open violation of the law as a disgrace to common decency. It is said an effort will be made to prosecute the owners of the buildings who lease rooms for such purposes. —Parsons Sun.

Sedalians are entitled to the same kind of a kick. For years past there have been threats of prosecuting the owners of the buildings, but they always ended in talk, notwithstanding occasional indictments have been found by the grand juries.

Sedalia Coal and Fuel Company
Are headquarters for cheap fuel and building material, call and see them before laying in your winter supply. 630 East Third street; telephone 225.

Killed a Horse.

Louella Rice, a girl who claims St. Joseph as her home, is in jail at Moberly, along with two other companions. Louella, and Minnie and Rose O'Brien, the other young women, decided to go on a little tear the other day and hired a buggy and team at a Moberly stable and started to Huntsville. They took some snake oil with them and acting under its mysterious influence drove one of the horses to death. They were arrested on charge of inhuman conduct and locked up.

Smoke the Golden Nugget, the best 10 cent cigar in the city, manufactured by Bert Sherpy.

Cheap Rates to Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver.

One way, \$15.35. Round trip, \$24.55. Good going one route, returning another. Limited to thirty days from date of sale for return.

H. L. BERRY,
Ticket Agent.

Harry Stephens' Injuries.

Harry Stephens, the East Sedalia plasterer, who had a foot crushed in the Missouri Pacific yards last Saturday, is reported by Dr. W. J. Ferguson, the attending physician, to be getting along nicely. He was visited by many friends yesterday, and all expressed deep sympathy for him in his misfortune. He complains of pains in his back at times, but it is not now believed that he sustained internal injuries, as was feared at first.

500 Men Wanted.

To have their watches repaired. Prices reasonable; all work guaranteed by AUG. KAHRs, 511 East Third.

For Rent.

About July 20, house nine rooms, No. 601 West Fifth street.

J. D. BROWN.

Call Him "Grandpa."

George Klein, one of the best known St. Louis traveling men that visits Sedalia, is thus referred to by the Marshall Democrat-News:

"Mr. Klein has been with the house he now represents for 27 years, and has been on the road for 22 years. He has been selling goods in Marshall for 21 years, and is entitled to a free ticket to the fair next Tuesday with the other old settlers. George has a host of

friends in this city, and when they want to see him smile his sweetest smile they call him 'grandpa.' He is a whole-souled, genial gentleman, and we are always glad to meet him."

Special Excursions to the World's Fair.

The Missouri Pacific railway has made arrangements for a cheap trip to the World's fair, and will run special excursions to Chicago at greatly reduced rates on the following dates: July 24th and 31st and August 7th. The advantages of this route are many, owing to the elegant through service and magnificent equipment. All particulars concerning rates, leaving time of trains, limit of tickets, etc., furnished by

H. L. BERRY,
Ticket Agent, Missouri Pacific.

SWEET SPRINGS WATER,
112 Osage, Frank Krueger,
Agent.

The Treasurer Is Here.

State Treasurer Lon V. Stephens came in from the state capital yesterday and remained over to-day. He has received a number of anonymous letters, criticizing his action in accepting more than \$200,000 worth of Equitable bonds from the Pettis County Investment Co. as security for the \$100,000 deposit required by law, and his mission here is to convince doubting Thomases that he did exactly what right in the premises.

"I endeavor to handle my department of the state business precisely the same as I would if it was my own individual affair," said Mr. Stephens, "and I am prepared to convince any one that I have simply done my duty in the premises."

They Are Here.

Fresh oysters in any style at the Silver Moon, 105 West Main.

"American" cigars are the best.

This is Cholera Year.

The "old army prescription," prepared by Q. C. Slack, will cure cholera morbus, cramp and all bowel diseases. We guarantee it to give satisfaction. Bottles 25c and 50c. 312 Ohio st.

Still Passing Through.

A number of additional "Colorado sufferers" passed through the city yesterday, last night and to-day on Missouri Pacific freight trains, but in no such numbers as they did on Saturday. The fact is, nearly all eastbound tramps now claim to be from the ranks of Colorado's unemployed workmen, when in reality many of them have not been within the borders of the state for months, if ever.

It Don't Pay You.

To have your clothes ruined by poor work. Take them to the Empire Steam Laundry where they have the latest improved machinery and competent workmen, and you will get satisfactory work. Telephone 154.

They All Say That
Dave Enrich can help you to make life a pleasure. When you get your roast or steak of Dave you get the best. Telephone 85.

He Keeps Improving.

The German "tourist" who was picked up at the depot Saturday morning, suffering with delirium tremens, has almost recovered, thanks to the treatment of Drs. Ferguson and Conkwright.

Smoke the Golden Nugget, the best 10 cent cigar in the city, manufactured by Bert Sherpy.

J. E. Hillis, the undertaker has a large supply of lace curtains, chemise portiers in connection with his immense stock of carpets, caskets, etc. Call and see him or telephone 100.

Five More Applications.

As a result of last Saturday's picnic at Beaman, Sedalia camp No. 16, Woodmen of the World, has secured five additional applications for membership. At the present rate of increase it will not be long until the 200 mark is reached.

Damaged by Lightning.

The house of Charles Costin, No. 110 East Sixteenth street, was struck by lightning Saturday night, tearing the roof to pieces, but doing no other damage.

Free silver is what we need, and to save what you have, buy your hardware, stoves, tinware and get your repairing done at

WALLER & EWARTS

Will Show To-Night.

The minstrel show that was knocked out by the rain last Saturday night will be given at Forest Park theatre to-night. The colored band was out to-day advertising the event.

Wanted.

A good girl to do general house-work. Good wages. 408 North Grand avenue.

\$100.00 IN CASH PREMIUMS.

Don't forget to bake a loaf of bread; in so doing you help out a noble enterprise, the Charity hospital fund. Every dime helps to swell the Charity hospital fund. If you have not a kindly feeling toward the No. 8 flour you can use any flour that you wish. However, none other than the No. 8 can compete for the prizes, and must be so stated on the day of delivery.

Everyone that has a drop of the milk of human kindness coursing through their veins should not forget the hospital fund and send us a loaf of bread.

Yours very respectfully,

B. S. REMBAUGH.

THE EQUITABLE

Loan and Investment Ass'n.

Combined Capital Stock, \$4,000,000.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE:

401 LAMINE STREET,

Sedalia, Missouri.

EQUITABLE NO. 1 OFFICERS.

Jas. H. Doyle..... President

J. C. Thompson..... Vice-President

C. B. Rodes..... Treasurer

Jackson & Montgomery, General Attorneys, Sedalia.

This association issues paid up certificates paid 8 per cent. Also a new series each month. Paid up promptly. Call and see us before investing and securing a loan.

C. B. RODES,
Secretary

SEDALIA

Building & Loan

Ass'n, of Sedalia, Mo.

CAPITAL STOCK, - \$1,000,000.

DIRECTORS:

C. G. TAYLOR, President. S. P. JOHNS.

C. RICHARDSON, Secretary. J. B. GALLIE.

F. H. GUENTHER, Treasurer.

This Association pays on monthly sav-

ings of 80 cents and upward, 12 per cent.

compounded annually; on paid up stock 8

per cent. payable semi-annually. No for-

feiture of dividends. Loans money on real

estate security at 7 1/2 per cent. interest.

Stock issued monthly in consecutive series

and matures definitely in seven years. Call

on C. RICHARDSON, Sec'y,

No. 111 Ohio St., SEDALIA, Mo.

Notice to Paving Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city council

of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, will re-

ceive bids or proposals for the paving of

Fifth street from the west line of

Ohio avenue west to the east line of Grand

avenue, as provided by an ordinance of said city, entitled, "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance providing

for the paving of Fifth street from the west

line of Ohio avenue to the east line

Sedalia Democrat.

\$50,000. - - - \$50,000.

People's Bank

404 Ohio St. Paid Up Cap'l \$50,000
Surplus \$2,500
SEDLIA. Undivided Profits \$1,000The only bank in Sedalia with a Savings
Department. Interest paid on all sav-
ings deposits.

COUNTY DEPOSITORY.

Transacts a general banking busi-
ness. Your account solicited.Bank open Saturdays and Rail-
road pay-day evenings from 6:30 to
8 p. m.W. L. PORTER, J. C. VAN RIVER,
President. Cashier.

Free! Free! Free!

To the Ladies of Sedalia.

We have come to Sedalia to intro-
duce Free of Charge.

Moody's NEW IMPROVED Tailor

SYSTEM AND COMBINATION

-OR-

Squares for Dress Cutting.

More than 500,000 ladies have suc-
cessfully used Prof. D. W. Moody's Old Tailor
System, and it gave entire satisfaction. But
Prof. Moody fully abreast with the times
and realizing that the great change would be
made in the styles and fashions, invented
this new and wonderful Dress Cutting Sys-
tem, and it is especially adapted to these
new styles. It will meet every issue in the
way of cutting a stylish and perfect fitting
dress. In fact you can cut any garment
worn by ladies or children. It is beyond
question, the simplest system ever invented.
Indeed, some ladies learn to cut and fit a
dress in one lesson.In order to introduce this wonderful invention
to the ladies of Sedalia, we will teach a
limited number of ladies

FREE OF CHARGE,

unlimited lessons, provided they call at once.
Remember we give you full instructions
about cutting and perfectly fitting dresses.
We are now stopping at 120 E. Second St.,
and if you desire to learn how to cut your
dresses, call at once, as we will not be here
but a few days. Agents wanted for this fast
selling article, to whom liberal terms will be
made. Call and see it. 120 E. Second St.

WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours Ending 2 O'Clock
This Afternoon by C. G.
Taylor.

Wind	Cloudiness in tenths.	Temperature	Precipitation in inches.
NW	0	Max 83° Min 71°	1.10

Barometer 29.20.

Services at the Jail.

Col. Van Wisker, assisted by
Mrs. Myers, of St. Louis, and Mrs.
Moss, of this city, conducted relig-
ious services at the jail Sunday
afternoon, and the more than two
dozen prisoners manifested a deep
interest in the exercises. Col. Van
Wisker has visited the jail every
Sabbath for some time past, and
his efforts in behalf of the unfortu-
nates is already bearing good fruit,
as several of the number never think
of retiring without praying to the
Almighty to make them better men.

An Old Lady

Who is in the habit of visiting
the West Side Pharmacy, Third and
and Osage, said, "It is so refresh-
ing, so life-invigorating, that I feel
ten years younger." She referred
to O. M. Brook's original celery
phosphate compound.LIQUORS AND WINES,
112 Osage, Frank Krueger
Manager.

Died in the Country.

Job Hampton, a native of Ten-
nessee and aged 70 years, died at
his home, nine miles southwest of
the city, at 7:30 o'clock yesterday
morning, of liver complaint, and
was buried from Camp Branch
church to-day.

Removal.

The livery firm of Caldwell &
Turner will commence moving to-
day from their present quarters
on West Fourth street to the Queen
City livery stable, on Osage, oppo-
site the market, where all their old
friends will find them with ample
accommodation for all. This firm
is known to have the finest carriages,
heavies and buggies in the state,
and the best drivers in the city.
All who desire a first-class rig will
get it there, and boarders will have
special attention. Telephone 10.

Female Fighters Fined.

In Justice Blair's court, this
morning, Emma Smith and Belle
Jackson, both colored, were con-
victed of disturbing the peace by
fighting and fined \$5 and costs each.
Jail.

Roll Ten Pins.

The bowling alley at Forest park
is now open. Go out in the even-
ing and have a game. Last car
leaves the park for the city at
10:30 p. m.Notions
AT
10C
On the
Dollar!

CAPS THE CLIMAX!

Goods at 10c on the Dollar, Goods at 25c on the Dollar, Summer Dress Goods at 40c
on the Dollar, Summer Dry Goods at 50c on the Dollar.

TO KEEP UP THE EXCITEMENT

In our great Mid-Summer Sale our buyer was forced to make a special trip to Eastern
markets. Our enormous trade during past few weeks has about depleted the summer goods
that with ordinary sales would have been carried over. The new lot of Summer Goods, al-
most \$5000 worth, that we place on sale tomorrow must be sold within two weeks. First
choice the best. A word to the wise is sufficient.

What 2 1-2c a yd will buy.

One hundred pieces of figured 5c Lawns,
not a fine fabric, but just the trick for a cool
Mother Hubbard to be given away, at
2 1-2c a yard.Just think of it, an 8 yard Dress Pattern,
for 20c, or a 10 yard pattern for 25c. There
will be a rush for 'em. If interested, call
early to secure the 5c Lawns, for 2 1-2c a
yard.

What 25c will buy.

About ten dozen 22 inch Black Cambrie
Parasols, manufactured to be sold at 50c,
Sale price 25c.24 inch Black 6c Parasol, now 20c.
24 inch Parasol, gilt handle, worth 75c,
now 45c.24 inch \$1.50 Gloria Silk Parasols, now
98c.25 dozen of an all Silk 40c Mitt, now
25c a pair.

What 1c will buy.

1,000 Spools Basting Thread, at 1c a
spool.2,000 Cakes Toilet Soap, at 1c a cake.
1,500 Fine Combs, worth 5c, now 1c a
piece.600 Bouteinere (Artificial Rose Bud)
others sell at 10c, our price 1c.10c Fancy Hair Pins, now 1c. Palm Fans,
1c. Bronze Clothes Hooks, now 1c. Bronze
Toys, including Shovels, Picks, Rakes, Hoes
and Hatchets. Choice of the lot, for
1c each.

Odd Prices.

2 1/2c will buy, a small wooden barrel of
Caret Tacks.

10c will buy, regular 25c Iron Toy Safes.

10c will buy, a 25c Balance Scale.

4 1/2c will buy 7 1/2c Scrim.

9c will buy, \$1.50, 6-4 Chenille Table
Covers.There will be a regular stampede for many of the Leaders. By calling early in this
great sale you will find everthing as advertised. No more goods at prices quoted after
lots advertised have been sold.Notions
AT
10C
On the
Dollar!

What 5c will buy.

50 pieces of 10c fine sheer White Goods,
(and remember when we say 10c White
Goods, we mean the 10c grade, and not the
6c quality) in elegant stripes or plaids, to be
placed on our counters to-morrow morning at
8:30 sharp, and closed out at 5c
a yard.

More 5c Leaders.

Extra size 10c Honey Comb Towels, now
5c.

All Linen 10c Napkins, at 5c.

Ladies 10c Vests, at 5c.

Dark Ground 7 1/2c Challies, at 5c a yard.

Iron Pincers, worth 25c, now 5c.

25c Pliers, worth 25c, now 5c.

25c Pad Locks, or 25c nut crackers, now 5c

100 other new 15 to 25c articles, on our se-
table.

What 12 1-2c will buy.

An even 50 dozen of a Ladies Scalloped
and embroidered 25c Handkerchief, to be
given away, at 12 1-2c.A like quantity of a finer grade embroi-
dered Handkerchief, at the ridiculously low
price of 25c. To give as many persons as
possible, a chance to secure a fine grade
Handkerchief, at just 1/2 price, we limit 8
Handkerchiefs to each buyer.

Hosiery.

An enormous line of childrens Tan or Scarf
Hose, at prices ranging 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c,
25c and upwards. Ladies 15c Hose, now
10c, 40c Hose, now 25c, 6c Hose, now 30c.
All this, and much more, this week.From reserve stock we bring out 14 pieces
(this closes the lot) of Tufted Swiss, Satin
Striped Ginghams and Imported Crepons,
they were made to sell at 25c, 30c and 32 1/2c.We give you choice of the lot, for
18c a yard.

What 50c will buy.

Gents 75c unlaundried Shirts, or night
shirts, 50c. In addition we are showing in the
Gents Furnishing Department, 40c Maco
Underwear at 25c, 75c. Balbriggan Under-
wear at 50c, Seamless Socks, at 10c and
100 other bargains that must be seen to be
appreciated.

What 18c will buy.

From reserve stock we bring out 14 pieces
(this closes the lot) of Tufted Swiss, Satin
Striped Ginghams and Imported Crepons,
they were made to sell at 25c, 30c and 32 1/2c.

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Underwear at 25c, 75c. Balbriggan Under-
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100 other bargains that must be seen to be
appreciated.

What 18c will buy.

From any disease that your doctor
cannot cure, such as chronic rheu-
matism, catarrh, kidney and liver
troubles, and especially paralysis.
This is a disease that doctors can-
not cure, but if you will wear Prof.
W. C. Wilson's Magneto Conserva-
tive Garments and use the Actina
you will get well and live. If not,
you must and will die. For partic-
ulars see or address Prof. A. J.
Maury, Office, 107 East Sixth
street, Sedalia. Lady in attendance
at all hours.

Attention, You That Suffer.

From any disease that your doctor
cannot cure, such as chronic rheu-
matism, catarrh, kidney and liver
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Hard to Find a Man.

who is more particular to give his
customers the lowest prices and
best grades of groceries than Geo.
Kahrs. Call and get acquainted
with a fair dealing man, at 513
East Third. Telephone 211.

A Vag Fined.

Horace Jones, colored, was con-
victed of vagrancy in Justice Blair's
court to-day and fined \$20 and
costs. He went to jail.

Smoke "Americanite" cigars.

Sedalia is at the front again
with a new American Lady Corset.
See H. H. Marean add next
Saturday.The greatest of remedies, Mc-
Farland's German System Tonic,
The Great Vitalizer. Ask your
druggist for it.BUDWEISER BEER ON
DRAUGHT.112 Osage, Frank Krueger
Manager.Do you need a Cook stove, a
gasoline stove, a refrigerator, at
all hard times prices, go to Wall-
& Ewart's. We must sell goods.

Smoke "Americanite" cigars.

Smoke the Golden Nugget, the
best 10 cent cigar in the city, man-
ufactured by Bert Sherpy.Notions
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Dollar!

THE RAILROADS.

Dr. E. F. Yancey visited Otter-
ville yesterday and returned on the
afternoon train.W. T. Fisher, traveling auditor
for the Missouri Pacific, was in
town this morning, at Kaiser's.J. M. Bennett has been appoint-
ed trainmaster of the M. K. & T.
lines in Texas heretofore under the
supervision of Mr. A. D. Bethard,J. M. Bennett has been appoint-
ed trainmaster of the M. K. & T.
lines in Texas heretofore under the
supervision of Mr. A. D. Bethard,Jim Logan, of Master of Trans-
portation Sweeney's office at Par-
sons, and wife, spent the Sabbath
here and returned home on the
evening train.J. W. Chapman, the new agent
for the American Express Co., ar-
rived from Fort Scott yesterday and
will take charge of the office August
1st. Joe Kolkmeyer, the old agent,
returns to the road as messenger.The decision of the Missouri state
board on the question of reducing the
rates on live stock, etc., will be
announced Tuesday, August 29.
The lines affected have submitted
their arguments against the reduc-
tion.George S. McKee, division master
mechanic on the Big Four road,
with headquarters at Mattoon, Ill.,
and family, departed for home at
noon to-day, after a pleasant visit
of a week with their many Sedalia
friends.Route Agent Clark, of the Amer-
ican Express Co., came up from
Parsons yesterday, and is checking up
the local office preparatory to
turning it over to J. W. Chapman,
the new agent, vice Joe Kolkmeyer,
transferred to the road.A. J. Sisson met with a horrible
death last Saturday afternoon in the
Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway
yards at Denison. He was under an engine repairing it, when a train backed down, pushing the
engine, crushing him to a pulp.There was a wholesale discharge of
trainmen last Saturday on the
Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway
at Denison. Thirty brakemen on
the Choctaw division and ten on
the Texas division were informed
that their services were no longer
required. Falling off of business is
given as the cause of the discharge.An extension of the Lexington
branch of the Missouri Pacific from
Boonville to Columbia is being agi-
tated with a fair prospect of the
road being built. The proposed
route is via this city, the road pass-
ing through North Rocheport near
the Tumy tannery. The road
would be of great value, not only
to the company but to all the people
along the line.—Rocheport Com-
mercial.

COW PASTURE.

Good pasture, forty acres, in city
limits, northeast. Terms reason-
able. Apply to J. C. PARMERLEE,
Le